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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully request a 4-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) from the Notice of Appeal filed July 7, 2009, in the above-captioned patent application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including January 7, 2010. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0206 the amount of \$1,730.00 for the 4-month extension of time fee. In the event of any variance between the amount enclosed and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, please charge or credit any such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.